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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director
Defense Intelligence Agency

SUBJECT : Threat Analysis

REFERENCE : Your Memorandum dated 6 December 1963,
S-56106/P-B, to Director, Central Intelligence
Agency, Subject as above

1. Mr. Carl E. Duckett has been appointed the CIA representative on the forthcoming senior review board to be convened at the request of Mr. Hawkins, Assistant Secretary of the Army, Research and Development, to guide, control, and review progress being made toward an effective U. S. ABM defense system. Mr. Duckett is Director of the CIA Foreign Missile and Space Analysis Center and, additionally, is Chairman of the Guided Missile and Astronautics Intelligence Committee.

2. I concur with your proposal that the Joint Analysis Group be tasked with playing a major role in providing continuing support of the U. S. ABM system development program. I have reviewed with [REDACTED] the 1 October report for the Secretary of Defense by the Threat Analysis Group and believe that the Joint Analysis Group would be an effective means to ensure that additional requirements are met.

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3. I agree that we should be prepared to augment the personnel and otherwise assist the Joint Analysis Group where necessary, and have directed the pertinent offices in CIA to provide additional assistance as may be required.

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